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## TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR MISSING PARTS OF AN APPLICATION

### SIR:

Enclosed please find the following item(s) submitted in response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application - Filing Date Granted, mailed on March 13, 2001 for which a response period of two months from the mailing of the Notice to Filing Missing Parts of Application - Filing Date Granted is set to expire on May 13, 2001:

- 1. Executed Declaration/Power of Attorney;
- 2. Notice to File Missing Parts of Non Provisional Application;

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- 3. Preliminary Amendment; and
- 4. Substitute Drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84. These drawings are repetitious of the informal drawings and do not include new matter.

The Applicant is entitled to small entity status.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge the Rohm & Monsanto, P.L.C., Deposit Account No. 50-0720 in the amount of \$460.00 to cover the filing fee for a small entity of \$355.00, surcharge of \$65.00, and excessive claims fee of \$40.

Dated:

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Respectfully submitted,

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### NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

#### Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$80.
  - \$80 for 1 independent claims over 3.
- The oath or declaration is missing.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 920.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
  - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a 00000072 500720 09776574 hottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

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